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TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 4644

C O N F I D E N T I A L TEHRAN 8426

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PINS, IR

SUBJECT: ASSASSINATION/KIDNAP PLOT AGAINST SHAH

REF: A. TEHRAN 7005; B. TEHRAN 7073; C. STATE 233287

1. THERE HAVE BEEN NO FURTHER SUBSTANTIVE DEVELOPMENTS REGARDING THE 12 ARRESTED FOR THE ASSASSINATION/KIDNAP PLOT AGAINST THE SHAH SINCE EMBASSY'S REFTELS A AND B. THE PRESS, FOLLOWING THEIR ARREST IN EARLY OCTOBER, HAS HAD NO COMMENTARY AS TO THEIR FATE OR STATUS.

2. ACCORDING TO LOCAL SECURITY AUTHORITIES, ALL 12 WHOSE NAMES HAVE BEEN ANNOUNCED HAVE CONFESSED AND ARE PRESENTLY BEING HELD IN JAIL. THEIR CASES HAVE BEEN REFERRED TO A MILITARY COURT TO DETERMINE DISPOSITION AND SECURITY AUTHORITIES EXPECT THEM TO BE PROSECUTED FOR CONSPIRACY TO KIDNAP AND ASSASSINATE THE SHAH AND THE ROYAL FAMILY.

3. THE CONSPIRATORS WERE ARRESTED ONE TO TWO WEEKS BEFORE THE PUBLIC ANNOUNCEMENT OF THEIR PLOT. THIS MAY EXPLAIN WHY SOME PERSONS MAY BE CONFUSED ABOUT THE PLOTTERS BEING IN JAIL AT THE TIME OF THE CONSPIRACY, BUT LOCAL SECURITY AUTHORITIES ARE ADAMANT IN INSISTING NONE WAS IN JAIL AT TIME PLOT WAS DISCOVERED.

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